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## SALES AT VENDUE.

On every Tuesday and Friday, WILL BE SOLD, At the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and Water Streets, A VARIETY OF Dry Goods, Groceries, &c. Particulars of which will be expressed in the bills of the day. All kind of goods, which are on limitation and the prices of which are established, can at any time be viewed and purchased at the lowest limitation and prices.

P. G. MARSTELLER.

## Sales at Auction.

On Wednesdays and Saturdays, WILL BE OFFERED, At the Auction Office on Union street, Between King and Prince—

An extensive and general assortment of seasonable Goods, of British, French, German, India, and Domestic Manufacture, which will be well selected, and well worthy the attention of town and country merchants and others; as the undersigned will be abundantly supplied from the manufacturers and their friends in Boston, New York and Philadelphia—which will give to gentlemen an opportunity of laying in their goods on as good terms as they can be in those cities, taking into view the difference of Exchange, &c. etc.

The particular description of goods will be advertised in the papers of the day.

Consignments strictly attended to and liberal advances made if desirable.

John Jackson & Co.

Auctioneers.

November 27 Exchange Office, Georgetown.

I WILL give the highest premium for Drafts at Sight, and Bank Notes, on the following places, viz. Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia—I will also give the highest premium for Drafts on New Orleans, Treasury Notes and Specie.

All kinds of Western Bank Notes bought and sold.

All kinds of Stocks and Bills of Exchange bought and sold.

Notes, Drafts, and Interest collected and remitted for a small commission.

Persons travelling to any part of the United States may be supplied with suitable Funds.

Please to enquire at my Exchange and Broker's Office, Bridge-street, Georgetown.

Romulus Riggs.

June 1 Burr Mill Stone Manufacture.

John S. Brown and Co.

Respectfully inform the Public that they continue the MANUFACTURE of BURR MILL STONES, on the corner of Patrick and Cameron streets, in the town of Alexandria, where they are ready to receive any orders with which they may be favored, and will execute them with all despatch and in the best manner.

They have received an assortment of Bolting Cloths

Of good quality, and intend keeping a constant supply.

September 23

Boiling Cloths.

The subscriber has just received by the General Ligan, Captain Weston, from Amsterdam, a large and elegant assortment of Boiling Cloths, of a superior quality, which will be offered for sale at the store of Mr. James Anderson.

Amos Alexander.

October 6

Lewis Hipkins & Co.

Have imported in the ships Boston and Gen. Smith,

A Quantity of HARD WARE, CUTLERY, &c.

which, with their former stock on hand, renders their assortment very complete.

They have also on hand GERMAN GOODS, and

Swedish Bar Iron,

all of which will be sold low.

September 26

Bank of Winchester in Virginia.

June 22d, 1810.

Notice is hereby given that, agreeably to a Resolution of the Board of Directors, of this Institution, a general meeting of the stockholders will be held on Wednesday the 1st day of January, 1817, at 12 o'clock, at the Banking house, at which meeting business of great importance to the company will be submitted for consideration.

LEWIS HOFF, Cashier.

July 9

## REMOVAL.

C. Bronaugh & Company,

Have removed their Store one door below the corner of King and Patrick streets, nearly opposite Messrs. Tyler and Harrison.

In addition to their former

Stock they are now opening a general assortment of Dry Goods, lately purchased in Philadelphia, which they offer for sale on very eligible terms, for cash or to punctual customers. They wish purchasers to call and examine the goods.

November 30

## The Subscribers

At the corner of King and Royal streets, have just received

## AND OFFER FOR SALE,

4 hhd's best quality brown sugar

50 barrels Pennsylvania whiskey

4 puncheons old rum

6 ditto New England ditto

2 pipes choice French brandy

2 ditto Holland gin

2 qr casks L. P. Madeira

2 pipes Tenerife

6 qr casks Sherry

3 do do Port

1 puncheon cherry bounce

15 kegs outwags

Imperial

Young Hyson

Hyson Skin

20 kegs snuff

20 boxes mould candles

15 ditto ditto ditto

Pimento, pepper, alum, copperas

Salt-Petre brimstone

Wrapping paper

A few boxes Spanish Segars

Together with

A general assortment of other articles in their line.

Wm. & F. Marbury.

November 16

## FOR SALE,

A valuable family of Negroes just from the country, among which are some mechanics, and are in number between 20 and 30. They will be sold all together, to any person willing to stock a family, they are a valuable family. Enquire of the Printer.

December 2

SOAL LEATHER AND TANNER'S OIL.

JOHN G. LADD & Co.

HAVE just received and offer for sale, on reasonable terms—400 sides of seal leather and 14 bbl's Tanner's Oil, of excellent quality.

Dec 4

Macarel, Beef, Apples, &c

JOHN G. LADD & Co.

Have just received by schooner Lydia from Newburyport, and offer for sale on low terms—

95 barrels no. 1 beef

4 do and 3 half bbl's no. 1 macarel

11 do and 3 do no. 2 do

3 do no. 3 macarel

37 do winter russet apples

10 do gillflower do

4 do fall do

204 bushels winter pears

870 do potatoes

2 boxes boots and shoes

18 do dipped candles

2 barrels brown sugar

1 case containing men's hose and mittens

White, colored woollen yarn

December 4

## Notice

Whereas I did by an assignment dated 30th November, 1815, transfer & assign to Bryan Hampton and Co. and Thomas Janney & Co. for certain purposes therein mentioned, all my books, rights, credits, etc.

Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to me by bond, note or book account, that the same is required to be paid to John D. Brown or Robert Harrison, who alone are authorized by the joint assignees to receive the same.

William Hatton.

December 5

## JUST RECEIVED,

6 casks superior Chewing Tobacco.

A. B. DICK.

December 9

We have just received and offer for sale,

200 barrels Kentucky whiskey, old and very fine

50 boxes dipt candles

30 boxes fresh mustard.

Bryan Hampton & Co.

Nov 5

## ROBBERY.

On the night of the 6th of December, 1816, the Exchange Office of the subscriber, Bridge street, Georgetown, from appearances by a false key, was robbed of the following property, in Specie, consisting of dollars, change, American and English gold, about 200 dollars; bank notes, mostly three dollar notes of the bank of Washington, and some small tickets, together about \$0 dollars, a one pound note of the bank of England, and one hundred and sixty four lottery tickets as per numbers below. The lottery tickets can be of no use to the persons taking them, and an attempt to pass them would only lead to a detection, it is therefore hoped that the person or persons who took them will return them to the subscriber through the Post Office at Georgetown. A liberal Reward will be paid by the subscriber for any information that may lead to the discovery of the persons or a recovery of the property. All keepers of lottery offices in the United States will please to keep a list of the numbers of the following tickets, as it may lead to a discovery of the theft.

## ROMULUS RIGGS.

List of the Nos. of Tickets in the Medical Lottery, 2d Class.

2201, 2202, 2203, 2204, 2205, 2206,

2207, 2208, 2209, 2210, 2212, 2213,

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13006, 13007, 13008, 13009, 13010,

13011, 13012, 13013, 13014, 13015,

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13041, 13042, 13043, 13044, 13045,

13046, 13047, 13048, 13049, 13050,

13051, 13052, 13053, 13054, 13055,

13056, 13057, 13058, 13059, 13060,

13061, 13062, 13063, 13064, 13065,

## Mandeville & Larmour

Have received for Sale,

55 hhd's Pennsylvania rye whisky

50 bbls do do

5 hhd's New-England rum

60 bbls do do

20 puncheons 2d, 3d and 4th proof West-India do

15 bbls 4th proof Accomac peach brandy

8 pipes Holland gin

18 bbls country do

20 hhd's molasses

50 bbls low priced sugars

60 boxes new raisins

15 casks do

1000 lb fresh Zante currants

600 lb soft shelled almonds

50 casks colored Goshen cheese

200 firkins Pennsylvania butter, Philadelphia inspection, No. 1. for family use

15 bags rice ginger

20 casks chewing tobacco

50 bags and 10 barrels Havana green coffee

1000 bushels blown salt

1000 ditto ground alum

1 bale writing paper

80 boxes mould and dipt candles

9 boxes real Martinique Noyau

Wines, liquors and groceries as usual.

December 2

Lawrason and Fowle

HAVE FOR SALE,

The Cargo of the schooner Mary and Sally, Capt. Keating, from Portland.

1200 bushels coarse Liverpool Salt

12000 lbs prime green Coffee

November 22

Wanted to Hire for the ensuing Year,

Two Men Servants, accustomed to wait in the house, and three Women that are capable of washing, ironing and doing the work of chambermaids. Those from the country would be preferred.—High wages will be given for persons possessing the above qualifications.

JOHN MCLAUGHLIN.

December 4

100 Dollars Reward.

Ran away from the subscriber, on the 27th September, a negro man, named JAMES, about 5 feet 10 inches high, slender made, very black, about forty-two years of age, a good coarse shoemaker, talks slow and chews tobacco.—I will give the above reward if taken 20 miles from this place, or Fifty Dollars if taken within that distance, and pay all charges for delivering him in Alexandria.

Charles I. Catlett.

October 8

Lawrason & Fowle

HAVE FOR SALE,

The cargo of sloop Haymaker, captain Weeks, from Boston, of

75 tons plaster Paris

7 hhd's New-England rum

10 bbls do

100 boxes mould candles

20 do brown soap

100 demijohns

3 bales low priced broadcloths.

FOR BOSTON.

The Brig Wanderer,

Alexander Newcomb, master.

Now loading, will sail on Sunday morning, and take 300 barrels freight, if offered immediately.

Apply as above.

December 5

Raisins, Rum, &c.



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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14

## LOST.

A few days since, a GOLD BREAST PIN, set with Topaz and Pearls, with the letters B. G. T. on the back. Whoever has the same, and will leave it with the Printer, shall be rewarded for so doing.

December 12 St

## Mandeville and Larmour

Have Received

50 hogsheads Orleans and St. Croix Sugars  
25 ditto Pennsylvania Rye Whiskey  
50 mould and dip Candles  
1000 bushels Liverpool blown Salt  
5 bags Pineapple  
November 6

## Mutual Assurance Society

At a meeting of the Standing Committee of the Mutual Assurance Society, a gainst fire on buildings of the State of Virginia, held on Monday the 11th day of November, 1816—

This being the day fixed by the constitution of the Mutual Assurance Society against fire on buildings of the State of Virginia, for a general meeting of the said Society to be formed, and a sufficient number of members in person or by proxy, not attending to form such meeting, it was

Resolved by the Standing Committee aforesaid, in conformity with the first section of the first article of the said constitution, that the said general meeting be adjourned to the first Monday in January next, 1817, when it is particularly desired that there shall be a full meeting of the Members of the Society, as matters of the utmost importance will be laid before them touching the interest and prosperity of the institution.

Public Notice therefore is hereby given, that the said general meeting be adjourned, and stands adjourned to the first Monday in January next, 1817, when it is particularly desired that there shall be a full meeting of the Members of the Society, as matters of the utmost importance will be laid before them touching the interest and prosperity of the institution.

By order of the Standing Committee.  
**JAMES RAWLINGS, P. Agent**  
of the M. A. Society.

Form of the writing to constitute a proxy for the above meeting:

Member of the Mutual Assurance Society against fire on buildings of the State of Virginia, do hereby constitute and appoint ——— to attend the General Meeting of the said Society to be held in Richmond on the first Monday in January next, 1817, as proxy, to vote and act on ——— behalf on any business which may come before the said meeting as fully as if ——— personally present.

In testimony whereof ——— hereunto set ——— hand & seal ——— the day of ——— 181 —

Witness, (Seal.)  
December 10 d1st MJan

Just received and for Sale by  
**Charles I. Catlett,**

24 hds first quality Jamaica sugar  
14 pincheons Antigua rum  
5 bales Bandano handkerchiefs,  
100 sacks salt

And in Store,  
100 bales German Linens,  
Consisting of burials, ticklenburgs, os naburgs, creas, platillas, and Britannies.

For Liverpool or a Market,  
Ships

**Mary & Resolution,**  
in complete order for the reception of a cargo.

**C. I. Catlett,**  
Dec 4 d2w

## TO RENT.

The Store between Messrs. Patons & Butchers and the Subscribers, lately occupied by Messrs. Cary Brohagh & Co. Possession may be had immediately. For terms apply to

**Mandeville & Larmour**  
Nov 25

## Wanted to Hire,

A steady elderly Negro Woman, who can be well recommended, to whom liberal wages will be given.

Apply to the Printer.  
Dec 13

## For New York,

The last sailing schooner Mary Ann, capt. Tyron, will sail with all possible dispatch, and take 500 barrels on freight, for which or passage, apply to

**Barnewall & Popham,**  
Dec 12 1w

**Cabinet Makers take Notice**  
A large quantity of Mahogany to be sold by auction, in Baltimore, on the 18th instant, by Hazlehurst and Dorsey, on Gay street wharf.

By Sale peremptory.  
December 10 d5t

We have received by ship Diana, captain Harper, from Malaga and Cadiz, 1000 boxes Muscatel and bloom raisins fresh  
150 qr. casks Malaga wine  
50 do. Colmar do.  
and about 6000 bushels Cadiz salt, for sale on reasonable terms, by  
**J. & T. VOWELL.**

In Store  
60 hds. 3d & 4th West India rum  
20 do. bright molasses  
100 boxes mould & dip candles  
English white lead  
Bidport shad & herring twine  
Dec 10 e6ft

For Rent or for sale on a long credit

The subscriber will rent, or sell upon the most accommodating terms, the House and Lot, whereon he at present resides. The House is large, convenient, and finished in a superior style. The lot, consisting of two acres, is in the highest state of cultivation as a garden, abounding in the most choice fruits, shrubs, &c. Possession can be given about the 1st of December.  
He will purchase Dry Cows.  
**Aug J Smith.**  
Nov 20 ent1st Dec

**Alexandria Morocco Manufactory.**

At the Corner of Oronoko & Water streets near the Fish wharf.

Where may be added, Morocco for gentlemen's boots, Morocco and American Kid of all colors for ladies' shoes, coach makers' and hatters' Living Skins, hatters' and spinning wool. The above articles manufactured in the best manner by the subscribers.

**John D. Benkhert & Co.**  
N. B. All kinds of Silks scowred and dyed in the best manner.  
November 7 e6ft

**The Gentleman and Lady's**

**POCKET ALMANAC**

AND  
Annual Pocket Remembrancer for 1817.

Are just received for sale by  
**James Kennedy & Son.**  
Nov 19 e6ft

**POTOMAC & SHENANDOAH**

**Navigation Lottery.**

Second Class.

Will commence drawing on Monday the 3d day of February 1817. The following is the present state of the wheels — 15 days drawing over, viz.

1 prize of	15,000
2	10,000
3	5,000
4	2,000
5	1,000
13	500
16	100
32	50
34	12
3034	10

1 p. of 100 Tick. fr. 10,001 to 10,100

1 100 10,101 to 10,200

1 100 10,201 to 10,300

1 100 10,301 to 10,400

1 100 10,401 to 10,500

1 100 10,501 to 10,600

1 100 10,601 to 10,700

1 100 10,701 to 10,800

1 100 10,801 to 10,900

1 100 10,901 to 11,000

**Stationary Prizes.**

1st drawn ticket (those set apart as prizes excepted) on the 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 21st, 22d, 23d, 24th, 25th, 27th days each, entitled to one of the above-mentioned prizes of 100 tickets, commencing at the lowest number and proceeding in regular succession until the whole are drawn.

1st drawn on the 20th day \$ 2000

1st do 25th day 1000

1st do 28th 29th each 500

1 do 30th 10,000

1 do 30th 5,000

1 do 36th 37th 38th and 39th each 500

1 do 50 500

1 do 50 1,000

1 do 42d and 44th each 1,000

1 do 40th 15,000

For the Alexandria Gazette.

**SOMETHING QUEER, OR A NEW EDITION OF AN OLD SPEECH.**

Fellow-Citizens of the Senate, and of the House of Representatives.

IN reviewing the present state of our country, our attention cannot be drawn from the fact, that from the peculiarity of the late season, the annual gifts of the earth have been very generally impaired, and that some particular districts have even been threatened with scarcity. I am happy, however, in being able to assure you, that, aided by the extraordinary talents of the secretary of the treasury, I have ascertained with mathematical precision, that the aggregate supply of provisions throughout our country, will greatly exceed the aggregate demand for them. If however I should prove to have been mistaken in my calculation, you will be consoled by the reflection, that occasional abstinence is the surest preservation of health; and that to the economy of consumption, that has already grown out of our wants, is to be attributed, the remarkable health, which has distinguished the present year.

Amidst the advantages, which have succeeded the peace in Europe, and that of the U. States with G. Britain, may be enumerated, the general invigoration of industry as well as, and the extension of our commerce, not only to every part of our own waters, but even to the European seas. It is to be lamented, however, that the manufacturing (and indeed I might add, the agricultural and mercantile) interests of our country, have not participated, in a very great degree, in the blessings that have accrued to the country itself. Much, it is true, was done during the last winter, for the encouragement and support of our infant manufactures. They have nevertheless sunk under an excess of imported merchandise; and no other means remain, of affording them relief, but the imposition of such additional duties, as will put an end to foreign importations entirely. There is no doubt, but that the manufacturer, being thus enabled to dispose of the products of his industry, at his own price, will recalculate. And the patience and forbearance, already exhibited by our agricultural brethren, and their known attachment to the principles of republicanism, are certain pledges of their disposition to bear whatever additional burthens you, in your wisdom, may think proper to impose on them.

The distressed state of our navigation, is to be ascribed to the ill natured jealousy of our old inveterate rival, G. Britain. Instigated by the devil, and not having the fear of God before her eyes, she has wickedly and maliciously deprived us of (what we formerly enjoyed) an equal participation with herself in the commerce of her colonies. We have the satisfaction, however, of knowing, that in the treaty lately negotiated with her, we have obtained an advantage in relation to her European ports, which Mr. Jay labored for in vain. It has also been intimated to us, that she would not be offended by any countervailing regulations the U. States might think proper to impose on the regulations of which they complain. Under these circumstances, it remains for you to decide on the course that ought to be pursued. And in making up your minds the resolutions submitted by me to the second congress cannot fail to attract your attention, as embracing a system bold, ingenious, and inflexible. There is no doubt, but that they might be so modified as to suit the present exigency.

I have the satisfaction to state, that generally, we remain in an ally with foreign powers. This, however, compels me to acknowledge, that we are not at this particular time, on the best terms, with either Russia, France, Spain or Algiers. Circumstances of peculiar delicacy prevent me from explaining to you, the causes of our difference with the two first. The third has most grossly insulted us, by attacking one of our public armed vessels, in the Gulf of Mexico, in a manner calling for prompt reparation. This has accordingly been demanded. And in order that we might be placed, in the armor and the attitude demanded by the crisis, a frigate and smaller vessel have been ordered to cruise in the waters, in which the insult has been committed. I am well assured, and indeed the Spanish minister has intimated as much, that this bold and decided measure will have the effect of inspiring his Catholic majesty with a high idea of our spirit, as well as of our power.

The Dey of Algiers has been insolent in the extreme. Drawing pretenses from circumstances, which either have not occurred, or could not have been prevented, he has boldly charged us with a violation of the late treaty; and presented us the alternative, war, or a renewal of the former treaty, which stipulated, among other things, an annual tribute. Congress will feel assured, that I have acted with a becoming spirit on the occasion, and sent him a reply "as hurriedly stuffed with epithets of war," as any that Othello ever uttered. The result is not yet known; but it may easily be anticipated. Should the Dey, however, contrary to all our calculations, think proper to renew his warfare on our commerce, I have very little doubt of being able to compel him at least, to make another treaty. And in need as many more as may be deemed either expedient or necessary.

The Indian tribes within our limits appear disposed to remain at peace with us. From some of the weakest amongst them we have obtained lands on very advantageous terms, taking them where it was found inconvenient to pay for them, and never paying more than the hundredth part of their value. Those on the contrary who presented a more formidable aspect, I have thought it better to appease, even by a double purchase than to drive them to extremities by resorting to such means, as either involved or threatened an effusion of blood. I am happy to add, that the tranquility, at this time existing among the tribes generally, is admirably adapted to the promotion of the great work of civilization, or the plan originally suggested by the distinguished gentleman, who now presides over the treasury department. The plan itself has undergone considerable modification and improvement by the Secretary of state; so as to embrace the appointment of an agent with plenary power, to enforce among the tribes, by his practice, as well as by his precepts, the advantages of the system that has been recommended. And the same officer has, with his accustomed liberality estimated the propriety of conferring the distinguished honor of the first appointment, on the gentleman whose benevolence suggested, and whose genius has detailed the great outlines of this wonderful plan. Under these circumstances I disavow the subject, with a recommendation to Congress, to pass a law, not only authorizing the mission, but providing adequate means for its support.

As a subject of the highest importance to the national welfare, I must also recommend to the consideration of congress a reorganization of the militia on the plan of the late emperor of France. For a full exhibition of the advantages of that plan, and an ingenious refutation of all arguments, if indeed the refutation of such arguments be not at this time superfluous, designed to show that its adoption would be a violation both of the spirit and letter of the constitution, I take the liberty of referring you to a very able report of the gentleman who will shortly be announced as my successor, conceived and matured on the ever memorable field of Bladensburg. I will only add, that should the plan be introduced into this country, and carried into operation with the same spirit in which it was conceived and supported by its cis-Atlantic author, I do not despair of yet living to see the government of the United States, one of the strongest and most absolute in the world.

I deem it unnecessary to repeat what I have so often said on the subject of our uniform standard of weights and measures. The establishment of a national university, and a revision of the criminal code of this district, I feel myself bound however to declare my conviction of the very defective character of our judiciary system; and to recommend to congress, the re-enactment of a law passed during the last years of Mr. Adams' administration, and repealed shortly after, at the instigation and by the advice of my predecessor and myself. And it is of the utmost importance to the well being of the government, that its executive officers should have as little to do as possible, and should be well paid for that little. I take the liberty of further recommending to congress, the establishment of another department, and a general increase of salaries, particularly that of the attorney general, whose duties are, at this time, discharged by a gentleman, celebrated wherever he is known, for the consistency and disinterestedness of his political principles, no less than for the extent of his legal and scientific attainments.

In directing the legislative attention to the state of the finances, it is a subject of great gratification, that our expenditures, as well as our receipts, during the last year, have infinitely surpassed those of any preceding period. The former exceeded thirty-eight millions of dollars, a sum very little short of the whole expenses of the twelve years of administration, under the two first Presidents of the U. States. And I am happy to add, that in consequence of the enlarged scale on which things are now done in this country, we have the prospect of disbursing annually to the amount of twenty millions of dollars!

And now, fellow citizens, having said every thing required of me, by my public station, I must be pardoned for calling your attention, during the few moments that remain, to a subject of no little importance to myself, the close of my political life. A more favorable opportunity will not offer for reminding you of the zeal and fidelity with which I have served my country. And I can now indulge in the proud reflection, that through my instrumentality, you have been enabled to enjoy tranquility at home and peace and prosperity abroad, have reached in safety your 40th year of independence, and, above all, have had a fair opportunity of showing, that your constitution is equally calculated for the trials of adverse and prosperous circumstances, is equally suited to a state of peace and a state of war.

I need hardly add, that these contemplations sweetening the remnant of my days, will animate my prayers for the happiness of my beloved country, and a perpetuity of the institutions, under which it is enjoyed. J—M—n

need as many more as may be deemed either expedient or necessary. The Indian tribes within our limits appear disposed to remain at peace with us. From some of the weakest amongst them we have obtained lands on very advantageous terms, taking them where it was found inconvenient to pay for them, and never paying more than the hundredth part of their value. Those on the contrary who presented a more formidable aspect, I have thought it better to appease, even by a double purchase than to drive them to extremities by resorting to such means, as either involved or threatened an effusion of blood. I am happy to add, that the tranquility, at this time existing among the tribes generally, is admirably adapted to the promotion of the great work of civilization, or the plan originally suggested by the distinguished gentleman, who now presides over the treasury department. The plan itself has undergone considerable modification and improvement by the Secretary of state; so as to embrace the appointment of an agent with plenary power, to enforce among the tribes, by his practice, as well as by his precepts, the advantages of the system that has been recommended. And the same officer has, with his accustomed liberality estimated the propriety of conferring the distinguished honor of the first appointment, on the gentleman whose benevolence suggested, and whose genius has detailed the great outlines of this wonderful plan. Under these circumstances I disavow the subject, with a recommendation to Congress, to pass a law, not only authorizing the mission, but providing adequate means for its support.

As a subject of the highest importance to the national welfare, I must also recommend to the consideration of congress a reorganization of the militia on the plan of the late emperor of France. For a full exhibition of the advantages of that plan, and an ingenious refutation of all arguments, if indeed the refutation of such arguments be not at this time superfluous, designed to show that its adoption would be a violation both of the spirit and letter of the constitution, I take the liberty of referring you to a very able report of the gentleman who will shortly be announced as my successor, conceived and matured on the ever memorable field of Bladensburg. I will only add, that should the plan be introduced into this country, and carried into operation with the same spirit in which it was conceived and supported by its cis-Atlantic author, I do not despair of yet living to see the government of the United States, one of the strongest and most absolute in the world.

I deem it unnecessary to repeat what I have so often said on the subject of our uniform standard of weights and measures. The establishment of a national university, and a revision of the criminal code of this district, I feel myself bound however to declare my conviction of the very defective character of our judiciary system; and to recommend to congress, the re-enactment of a law passed during the last years of Mr. Adams' administration, and repealed shortly after, at the instigation and by the advice of my predecessor and myself. And it is of the utmost importance to the well being of the government, that its executive officers should have as little to do as possible, and should be well paid for that little. I take the liberty of further recommending to congress, the establishment of another department, and a general increase of salaries, particularly that of the attorney general, whose duties are, at this time, discharged by a gentleman, celebrated wherever he is known, for the consistency and disinterestedness of his political principles, no less than for the extent of his legal and scientific attainments.

In directing the legislative attention to the state of the finances, it is a subject of great gratification, that our expenditures, as well as our receipts, during the last year, have infinitely surpassed those of any preceding period. The former exceeded thirty-eight millions of dollars, a sum very little short of the whole expenses of the twelve years of administration, under the two first Presidents of the U. States. And I am happy to add, that in consequence of the enlarged scale on which things are now done in this country, we have the prospect of disbursing annually to the amount of twenty millions of dollars!

Richmond, Dec 12

**Virginia Legislature.**

Yesterday, the House of Delegates met on several Bills and Reports, some of them of material importance.

At 12 o'clock the Orders of the day were taken up.

The House proceeded, jointly with the Senate, to supply the vacancy in the State of the U. States, which will be occasioned by the expiration of the term of service of Armistead T. Mason, Esq.

Mr. Maury nominated Col. John Maury, of Fredericksburg—in which he was supported by Messrs. Smith, Thompson, of Tazewell, and Malloy.

Mr. Taylor of Chesterfield, nominated John W. Eppes, Esq.—in which he was supported by Messrs. Chambers, Robertson of Petersburg, and Austin.

After the ballots were collected, the committee had retired with a majority in favor of Mr. Maury to count the votes, and found them to stand thus:

John W. Eppes 103  
John Mercer 93

The majority being for Mr. Eppes, was declared duly elected a Senator of the United States for six years from the 4th of March next.

The House then proceeded by a ballot with the Senate, to elect a Governor or Chief Magistrate of this Commonwealth, for one year from the 1st instant.

Mr. Banks nominated Col. James Preston, one of the gallant heroes of the late war, who was wounded at Chandler's Field, on the descent of the St. Lawrence, and who is at present a member of the House of Delegates from the County of Montgomery.—This nomination was supported by Messrs. Chambers, Thornton, Scott, and Hay.

Mr. Bowyer nominated Col. William J. Lewis, one of the zealous members of the Board of Public Works, an ardent enlightened friend of Internal Improvement and at present a member of the House of Delegates from the county of Campbell.—This nomination was supported by Messrs. Anthony, Blackburn, and Mercer of Loudoun.

Mr. Stakely nominated Linnal Mims, Esq. the Lieut. Gov. of this Commonwealth.

On counting the ballots, Mr. Banks reported that the votes stood thus:

For James P. Preston 104  
William J. Lewis 95  
L. Mims 9  
Scattering 1

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So that Col. Preston had a majority of votes, and was accordingly duly elected.

On motion of Mr. Scott, a resolution was entered into to appoint a Committee to act jointly with a Committee on the part of the Senate to wait upon Col. Preston, and inform him of his election.

And Messrs. Scott, Banks, Chambers, Hay, Baker, Tucker, McHenry, Thornton, and Maury, were named a Committee for this purpose.

The House then adjourned till this day 12 o'clock.

**New & Second-hand Piano**

**FORTES**

For sale by the Subscriber—

One London made square Piano Forte with additional Keys and Pedal, 8 drawers, set of Strings, tuning Hammer and leather cover.

One plain square ditto, with additional Keys, Pedal, set of strings, tuning Hammer, and leather cover.

ON HAND,  
One do do, second hand, with leather cover.

One do do, Baltimore make, 2 Drawers and 6 legs, with additional Keys, Pedal and fashionable Case.

N. B. The above will be sold at small advance for cash, if immediate application be made to

**R. GRAY, Bookseller.**  
November 5

**History of Cuba, &c. to wit:**

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on the fifth day of December, in the first year of the Independence of the U. States of America, WILLIAM CRANCH, of the said district, hath deposited in this office the title of a book, the right whereof he claims as author, in the words following to wit:

"Reports of Cases argued & adjudged in the Supreme Court of the U. States, in February term, 1814. Vol. VIII."

By WILLIAM CRANCH, chief justice of the Circuit Court of the district of Columbia. Potius morietur quam scilicet.

"Cic. de legibus, lib. 1. In conformity to the act of the Congress of the United States, intitled an act for the encouragement of Learning, by securing the copies of maps, charts, and books, to the authors and proprietors of such copies, during the times therein mentioned."

G. DENECEY,  
Clerk of the District of Columbia.  
November 23 2aw4

ALEXANDRIA.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT AT WASHINGTON.

Dec. 12.

You did not hear from me yesterday, because nothing occurred to warrant the trouble and expense of a letter. Mr. Clay, the speaker, had the misfortune to lose a child, and the house very properly indulged in his feelings, adjourned, in order to dispose with his attendance.

This day some business of interest was done. The report of the committee appointed to consider the president's suggestion of a national university was read twice.—After which a committee of the whole was ordered to take it into consideration to-morrow.

A motion for leave of absence for Mr. Sergeant the Philadelphia member, was made by Mr. Harkinson; and supported by Mr. Grosvenor, Mr. Pitkin, Mr. Wright and Mr. Reynolds, and opposed by Mr. Forsyth, Mr. Nelson, Mr. Southard and Mr. Robertson.—Mr. Nelson particularly distinguished himself by the firmness with which he rejected it—saying that if a member accepted a lucrative office under government his seat became vacant by the direct operation of the constitution; and while this most salutary law stared him in the face, could he or could any man consistently vote leave of absence to a member who upon a mere private speculation of profit had abandoned his duty to that house?—Certainly not. He declared that he would even oppose Mr. Sergeant's taking his seat next session. He wished the affair had not been brought before the house; for in that case this thing might pass in silence—but being brought forward in this way, he would oppose it. Mr. Grosvenor made a tough, but short struggle in vain support of the motion. At length a proposition was made to vary the wording of the application—but it would not go down, and on a division was negatived by a considerable majority.

The most important measure of the day, however, was a resolution introduced by Mr. Pickens of North Carolina to alter the constitution. There was no opposition to it; so it was read twice and ordered to the consideration of a committee of the whole house on the state of the Union. Particulars of the proposed alteration would be too long for a brief sketch of this kind; nor would I give it to you verbatim, even if I had it to give. I can pledge myself to you, however, for the exactness of what follows—which, in fact, contains the whole marrow of the proposition.

Should this alteration be adopted, every state will be to be divided, by its own legislature, into a number of districts equal to the number of its representatives, and equal to each other in the number of their voters; which number will be deducted by adding to the whole number of free persons, THREE FIFTHS of all other persons, including those bound to service for a number of years, & excluding Indians not taxed. The qualified voters of each of those districts, are to elect one representative.

In like manner, in choosing electors of president and vice president, every state is to be divided by its legislature (in the manner already prescribed) into a number of districts equal to the number of electors to which it is entitled, and in each of these districts the persons qualified to vote for representatives in congress shall choose one elector. The manner of holding the elections and making the returns of the electors chosen, to be regulated by the legislature of that state.

The proposed division into districts is to take place as soon as possible after each enumeration and appointment of representation, and shall remain unaltered until the succeeding enumeration and appoint men to representatives.

December 13.

Yesterday's proceedings in the House of Representatives were little else than matters of course. Three bills, one authorizing the settlement of militia claims—a second making a provision for three military academies, and a third supplementary to the act for encouraging vaccination were, early read twice and referred to a







## JAMES KENNEDY & SON,

BOOKSELLERS, KING STREET,  
Have just received from LEE'S PATENT MEDICINE STORE, No. 46 Maiden Lane, N. York.

**A FRESH SUPPLY**  
Of the following genuine Medicines.  
For the prevention and cure of Bilious and Malignant Fevers, is recommended.

### Hahn's Anti-Bilious Pills.

THIS Medicine has been attended with a degree of success highly grateful to the inventor's feelings. In several parts of the West Indies, and the Southern & Middle States, particularly in N. York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Petersburg, Richmond, Norfolk, Edenton, Wilmington, Charleston, and Savannah. The testimony of a number of persons at each of the above places can be adduced, who have reason to believe, that a timely use of this salutary remedy has, under Providence, preserved their lives, when in the most alarming circumstances.

Facts of this conclusive nature speak more in favour of a medicine than columns of pompous eulogy, founded on mere assertion.

It is not, indeed, presumptuously proposed as an infallible cure, but the inventor has every possible reason that can result from extensive experience, for believing that a dose of these Pills, taken once in every two weeks, during the prevalence of our bilious fevers, will prove an infallible preventative; and further, that in the earlier stages of those diseases, their use will very generally succeed in restoring health, and frequently in cases esteemed desperate, and beyond the power of common remedies.

The operation of these pills is perfectly mild, so as to be used with safety by persons in every situation, and of every age. They are excellently adapted to carry off superfluous bile & prevent its morbid secretions—to restore to the appetite—to produce a free perspiration and thereby prevent colds which is so often of fatal consequences. A dose never fails to remove a cold taken on its first appearance—they are celebrated for removing habitual costiveness—sickness at the stomach and severe head-ache—and ought to be taken by all persons on a change of climate.

They have been found remarkably efficacious in preventing and curing disorders attendant on long voyages, and should be procured and carefully preserved for use by every seaman.

### HAMILTON'S WORM DESTROYING LOZENGES.

Which have cured an immense number of persons of both sexes, of every age, and in every situation, of various dangerous complaints arising from worms, and from obstructions or fulness in their stomach and bowels.

This medicine bears no analogy whatever to others of similar titles so commonly complained of, as operating with violence; on the contrary, a particular excellence of this remedy is its being suited to every age and constitution. It contains nothing but what is perfectly innocent, and is also mild in its operation, cannot injure the most delicate pregnant lady or the tenderest infant of a week old, should no worms exist in the body; but will, without pain or griping, cleanse the stomach and bowels, of whatever is foul or offensive, and thereby prevent the production of worms, and many fatal disorders. The lozenges are particularly efficacious in carrying off all gross humours and eruptions, feverish and bilious complaints, and are the safest and most effectual purgative that can be used on any occasion.

### DESCRIPTION OF WORMS.

And the symptoms by which they are known:

Worms which infest the human body, are chiefly of four kinds, viz.—The Terebra, or large round worm; the Ascarides, or small maw-worm; the Cucurbitina, or short, flat, white worm; and lastly, the Tænia, or tape-worm, so called from its resemblance to tape. This is often many yards long, and is full of joints. It is most hurtful and most difficult to remove.

Among the symptoms attending worms are—disagreeable breath, especially in the morning; bad and corrupted gums; itching in the nose, and about the seat; convulsions, epileptic fits, and sometimes privation of speech; starting and grinding of the teeth in sleep; irregular appetite, sometimes voracious; purging, with slimy & fetid stools; vomiting; large and hard belly; pains and sickness at the stomach; slow fever, with small and irregular pulse; a dry cough; excessive thirst; sometimes pale and unhealthy countenance, and sometimes the face coated and flushed.

Persons afflicted with any of the above symptoms, should have immediate recourse to Hamilton's Worm Destroying Lozenges, which have been constantly attended with success, in all complaints similar to those above described.

A dose of this medicine given occasionally during the warm season, will effectually prevent the vomiting and purging of chint—a dreadful disorder, which annually destroys the hands of the infant part of our citizens. It is likewise the mildest and most cer-

tain remedy known, and has restored to health and strength a great number, when in an advanced stage of this fatal complaint. Particular and plain instructions are given for every part of the necessary treatment in such cases.

Children generally take this medicine with eagerness; having a pleasing appearance, and an agreeable taste.

### Hamilton's Essence and Extract of Mustard.

A safe and effectual remedy for acute and chronic rheumatism, gout, asthmatic gout, palsy, lumbago, numbness, white swellings, chilblains, sprains, bruises, pain in the face and neck, &c.

**The Genuine Persian Lotion.**  
So celebrated among the fashionable throughout Europe, is an invaluable cosmetic, perfectly innocent and safe, free from corrosive and repellant minerals. (the basis of other lotions) and of unparalleled efficacy in removing blemishes of the face and skin, freckles, pimples, inflammatory redness, scurfs, tetter, ringworms, sunburns, prickly heat, &c. The Persian Lotion operates mildly, without impeding the natural insensible perspiration, which is essential to health, yet its effects are speedy and permanent, rendering the skin delicately soft and smooth and improving the complexion.

### The Restorative Powder for the Teeth and Gums.

This excellent preparation comforts and strengthens the gums, preserves the enamel from decay, and cleanses and whitens the teeth, by absorbing all the acrimonious slime and foulness, which suffered to accumulate, never fails to injure and finally ruin them.

### Hamilton's Grand Restorative.

Is recommended as an invaluable medicine for the speedy relief and permanent cure of the various complaints resulting from dissipated pleasures, juvenile indiscretions, residence in climates unfavourable to the constitution, the immoderate use of tea, frequent intoxication or any other destructive intemperance, the unskillful or excessive use of mercury, the diseases peculiar to females, at a certain period of life, bad lyings in, &c.

### HAMILTON'S ELIXIR.

Sovereign remedy for Colds, obstinate Coughs, Asthma, sore throats, and approaching Consumptions, and most disorders of the breast and lungs.

### Hahn's genuine Eye Water.

A sovereign remedy for all diseases of the eyes, whether the effect of natural weakness or of accident.

### Tooth-Ache Drops.

The only remedy yet discovered which gives immediate and lasting relief in the most severe instances.

### Lee's Ointment for the Itch.

Warranted an infallible remedy at one application, may be used with perfect safety on infants a week old, not containing a particle of mercury or any dangerous ingredient whatever, and not accompanied with that tormenting smart which attends the application of other remedies.

### Lee's Infallible Ague and Fever Drops.

For the cure of agues, remittent, and intermitting fevers.

### Hahn's true & genuine German Corn Plaster.

At the place of sale pamphlets may be had gratis, describing cures performed by the above medicines; the number, importance and respectability of which, fully justify every article of this advertisement.

### For Freight,

### The Brig Wanderer,

Alex. Newcomb, Master, A superior vessel, burthen about 600 barrels, and will be ready for the reception of a cargo in a few days.

### Lawrason and Fowle,

Who have for Sale, said Brig's Cargo of 120 tons Plaster Paris 80 barrels New England rum 25 casks cheese 150 boxes mould and dipt candles 20 reams wrapping paper 20 bolts Russia duck 50 pieces Russia sheetings 1 bale do diaper 14 crates dinings sets Liverpool China.

### FOR BOSTON,

The brig Criterion, Capt. Holmes, is nearly loaded, will sail on Sunday, and take 200 barrels on freight if offered immediately. Apply as above.

### FOR SALE,

On board the sloop Regulator, lying at Josiah Davis's wharf, 200 Liverpool filled sacks of salt. They will be sold low if taken from on board.

The above sloop, captain Saml. Chadwick, will take freight for New York, Newport and New Bedford. Apply to the captain on board, or to

Mercedal Miller. Dec. 10

## LAWRASON & FOWLE

HAVE FOR SALE,

### The Cargo of the Schooner Natio.

N. Mayhew, master, from Boston

CONSISTING OF

1600 bushels coarse Liverpool salt  
250 bags flavoured green coffee  
30 do pepper  
15 do filberts  
150 boxes dipt candles  
30 barrels new beef  
50 do mould do  
20 pipes Holland gin, of a superior quality  
15 do American gin  
50 barrels tanner's oil  
9 bales India goods, consisting of balfas, cassahs, saunahs, gurrals and checks  
1 cask pearl barley.

They have also for Sale,

2000 sacks Liverpool blown salt  
3000 bushels Liverpool coarse do  
6000 bushels St. Ubes do  
700 tons Plaster Paris  
300 crates Liverpool ware, particularly selected  
20 pipes cognac brandy  
10 puncheons 3d proof Tobago rum  
100 pieces Russia duck  
100 do Ravens do  
80 boxes tin  
500 boxes brown soap  
300 sides red seal leather  
50 barrels mess & No. 1 beef  
15 barrels tanners oil  
100 boxes cod fish  
30 boxes glass of the Boston manufactory, different sizes  
50 casks medoc claret  
15 packages French goods consisting of black and white crapes, Levantine handkerchief, Florences, levantine and taffetas, assorted colors, sewing silk, fans, cambrics, lawns, thread, lace, &c.

October 14

### For Boston,

### The brig TRIM,

JAMES CLEVELAND, MASTER,

is now loading, will sail in all this week, and take a few hundred bags on freight.

Apply to

### LAWRASON & FOWLE,

who have for sale, received per the schooner Rebecca, Capt. Berry, and Reliance, Capt. Hawes, from Boston, 100 tons French Plaster Paris 120 Boxes Mould & Dipt Candles 30 Reams Wrapping Paper 200 Boxes Brown Soap 4 Bales Mamoodies & Burboon Gurrals 10 Bales Almonds.

### For Boston

### The schooner Rebecca

T. BERRY, MASTER,

will be ready to receive a cargo in a few days, and take freight low.

Apply as above.

### Medicines, &c.

### FOR SALE.

THE subscribers offer for sale, at the corner of King and Royal streets, opposite to Mr. Peter Sherron's store, an extensive assortment of well selected medicines,—patent medicines and drugs,—the greater part of which was received by the ship Clifton from London.

They have also received by the ship Emily from London, via Baltimore, composition Mortars & Pestles, various sizes—Apothecary's scales and weights, & Bolus knives—Also, an elegant assortment of Surgeon's instruments, consisting of Evans's Screw Tornequets, male and female catheters, pocket instruments four prices, teeth Extractors, Surgeon's needles, dissecting, amputating, trepanning, cupping, and one set of midwifery instruments—thumb lancets and cases, gangies, pewter bed-pans, lancet pointed scoops and bistories, and a variety of forceps, Also 14,000 Spanish segars, & 3 kegs chewing tobacco.

Country Merchants, Physicians, and country Gentlemen, can be supplied, on accommodating terms at the shortest notice.

The subscribers, will, as heretofore, continue the practice of medicine, in its various branches, and will give advice gratis to those who consult them at their shop. The prices for the doses of Medicine, are at the usual apothecary's rates.

### Seamens & Washington.

Oct. 2

### Globes and Maps.

Just received for sale by the subscribers, A pair of large and elegant Globes of the latest edition, 21 inches in diameter.

Also,

Madison's Map of Virginia, Bradley's Map of the United States, Maps of the United States and West Indies, Lucas's elegant quarto Atlas, colored and plain, Pinkerton's large and beautiful Ditto, eight numbers published.

James Kennedy & Son.

Dec 11

PRINTING

Neatly executed at the Office of the Alexandria Gazette.

## 25 Dollars Reward.

Ran away from the subscriber this day week, an apprentice, lad named DAVID ROLLISON, aged 19 years, about 5 feet 5 inches high, dark complexion, down look and round shouldered—had with him a dark mixed grey short jacket and trousers and sundry other clothing not recollected, excepting a good fine hat.

This is the second time of his elopement. He worked with Mr. McKenney in Georgetown, as a freeman, 18 months ago, until discovered.

I will give Five Dollars if found in Alexandria—Ten Dollars if found in Georgetown or Washington—and Twenty-five Dollars if as far off as Baltimore, on having him secured in jail, with reasonable charges.

Andrew Jamieson.

Alexandria, Nov. 27

### Sugar, Rum, Candles & Salt.

### The cargo of brig Juno—

Consisting of 55 tierces Muscovado Sugars 12 barrels 20 hogsheds New England Rum 176 boxes mould and dipt candles 50 sacks salt 40 barrels no. 1 Boston beef 20 tons flat Swedes iron 20 casks ground plaster Cordage and wooden ware,

For sale by

### JOHN G. LADD & CO.

Also,

The Cargo of brig Catha ine, from The maston, consisting of

50,000 feet clear boards 2000 do birch joist 60 casks Thomastown lime. Received per schr Elizabeth, 3700 bushels Liverpool coarse salt 140 boxes dipt candles 30 ditto mould ditto.

And from on board sloop Packet, 600 sides seal leather.

Also,

Per brig George Washington, 6 hogsheds country Geneva 25 boxes spermaceti candles,

For sale by

### JOHN G. LADD & CO.

November 20

### FOR FREIGHT,

The schooner Union, capt. Brewster, burthen about 800 bbls. nearly new, a superior vessel & fast sailer: will take freight for the West Indies or Coastwise, and be ready for a cargo in a few days.

Apply to

### Lawrason and Fowle,

Who have for sale said schooner's cargo of 120 tons Plaster Paris 100 boxes mould and dipt candles 40 pieces Russia sheetings, entitled to debenture 5 casks and crates, containing dining and tea sets China

November 21

### Land for Sale.

A tract or parcel of Land, containing between two and three hundred acres, on the north side of Occoquan, in Fairfax county, about 5 miles west of Occoquan mills. It is well watered with never failing springs, it is also well timbered, and the great quantity of fur timber on it renders it the more valuable to any person in the coppering line. This land is of the middle soil, and produces corn, wheat or any other grain tolerable well—there is about 100 acres cleared and under good fence. The improvements are a log dwelling house & other out houses, and a good apple orchard of about sixty trees.

Also,

One other tract in the same county, within three miles of Occoquan, lying on Sandy Run, containing 47 acres—one half in cultivation and under good fence, the remainder heavily timbered. There are on the premises an old framed dwelling house and out houses and an apple orchard of eighty bearing trees.

Any person inclining to purchase can view the premises and know the terms by applying to the subscriber who lives near them.

### Thomas Gosson.

November 30

### Jerome and Gerard Plummer

Have just received for sale,

At their large and commodious three story brick ware-house upper end of King street,

600 tons Plaster Paris, with

a large and well selected stock of Groceries, among which are a few half and whole pipes of L. P. Madeira, which they will warrant of a very superior quality. From their long standing in the Flour and Grocery Business in Alexandria, they flatter themselves that they shall continue to give that general satisfaction to their customers, with which they have been heretofore flattered.

October 16

The Winchester Gazette, Martinsburg Gazette, and Leesburg Washingtonian, will publish the above 2 months and send their account to this office.

### Two Boys

From 14 to 16 years of age, is wanted by the subscriber, to learn the Hating Business. None but boys of steady habits need apply.

Samuel D. Harper.

November 26

## SUGAR, RUM, TWINE, &c.

13 bbls St. Croix sugar, first quality  
40 bbls N. E. rum  
1500 lbs seine twine  
2000 do seal leather  
26 casks raisins  
10 bags pepper

No. 3 chocolate, brown soap, wrapping paper, etc. now landing.

For sale by

### DUNBAR & TOWNSEND,

IN STORE,

50 boxes dipt candles  
75 barrels no. 1 beef  
300 pair mens' coarse shoes.

December 11

### FOR BOSTON

The regular trading

### SCHOONER,

NEW Packer, George Brewer master, will be ready in 5 days to receive a cargo and take freight low.

Apply to

### LAWRASON & FOWLE

Who have received by said schooner for sale

200 Boxes of glass 7 by 9 8 by 11  
100 Boxes mould candles  
20 Barrels New England rum  
10 Barrels tanners' oil  
2 Casks pearl barley  
20 Tons French plaster Paris

December 11

### Notice is hereby given,

THAT the Collector of the Revenue for the 22d collection district of Virginia, or his Deputy will attend at Leesburg, from the 1st to the 15th of January, 1817

Middleburg, Monday 6

Aldie, Wednesday 8

Waterford, Tuesday 14

Hillsborough, Thursday 16

Upperville, Saturday 18

West End, in Fairfax, Saturday 26

January

Hendley Nelson's, Monday 6th

Fairfax Court House, Monday 20th.

For the purpose of receiving the entry of carriages, with the ha nses used therefor, agreeable to an act of congress, passed the 15th day of October 1814, which entry is thereby required to be made: for failing to do which a penalty of double the amount of the duty imposed by the act of the 15th of December 1814, will be incurred. Given under my hand,

December 2, 1816.

### JOHN LITTLEJOHN,

Collector of the Revenue.

Non-residents are informed that DANIEL MASON, Esq. of Alexandria, will receive the amount of their Direct Tax, upon property holden by them in the counties of Loudoun and Fairfax, which tax if not paid before the 11th day of January 1817, will be sent on to the designated collector at Richmond. Persons desirous of seeing their lists may do so by applying to me at Mott's, in Alexandria, on the 9th or 10th of January next.

December 6—9

### Bank of the U States,

Office of the Commissioners,

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25, 1816.

NOTICE is hereby given to the subscribers to the Capital of the Bank of the United States at the city of Washington, that the Commissioners appointed by the President of the United States to receive the said subscriptions, are duly authorised by the president and directors of the Bank of the United States, to receive the second instalment of the said subscriptions to wit: on each share of the said capital, 10 dollars in gold or silver coin, and 25 dollars in coin as above said, or in funded debt, at the rates prescribed by the act of incorporation; with a power of attorney annexed to the certificates of the said funded debt proportionally authorizing the loan officer, for the time being, at whose office the said funded debt shall stand recorded (or the register of the treasury of the United States, if the stock shall stand on the books of the treasury) to transfer the same in due form of law, to the president, directors and company of the Bank of the United States; that the said commissioners at the agents of the Bank, will attend at the office of Pay and Deposit of the Bank in Columbia, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and three o'clock in the afternoon, daily & every day, Sunday excepted, from the first of January next, ensuing to the 23d of the same month, both days inclusive, for the purpose of receiving the payments as aforesaid, and that the subscribers, at their option, may either pay the said second instalment at the original place of subscription, within the time herein limited, or at the Bank of the U. States at Philadelphia.

JOHN MASON, THOMAS SWANN, JOHN P. VAN NESS, } Comrs.

November 27—30

### For Boston,

The good Brig

### Catherine,

N. Crawford, master, will take 500 barrels on low terms if offered immediately.

Also,

### For Newburyport,

The good schr Lydia, J. Brown, master, for freight of 500 barrels. Apply to

John G. Ladd & Co.

Dec. 11.

## ALEXA

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## SALES AT VENUE

On every Tuesday and

WILL BE SOLD

At the Venue Store, corner of Water Streets, and

A VARIETY OF

Dry Goods, Groceries,

Particulars of which will be expressed in the bills of the day.

All kind of goods, which are established, can at any time be purchased at the lowest

and prices.

P. G. MARSTON

## Sales at Auction

On Wednesdays and Saturdays

WILL BE OFFERED,

At the Auction Office on Union

Between King and